



**NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
Senate Bill 553**

AMENDMENT NO. _____
(to be filled in by
Principal Clerk)

S553-ASB-9 [v.1]

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Amends Title [NO]
S553-CSBCf-18

Date _____, 2019

Senator Steinburg

1 moves to amend the bill on page 6, lines 9 and 10,
2 by inserting between the lines:

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4 **"AMEND SEPTIC TANK SITE SUITABILITY DETERMINATION PROCESS**

5 **SECTION 9.1.** G.S. 130A-335 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

6 "(j) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a local health department may determine
7 site suitability for a ground absorption sewage treatment and disposal system under rules adopted
8 by the Commission or based on written documentation, including engineering, hydrogeologic,
9 geologic, or soil studies, that indicates all of the following:

- 10 (1) The system can be installed so that the effluent will be non-pathogenic, non-
11 infectious, non-toxic, and non-hazardous.
12 (2) The effluent will not contaminate groundwater or surface water.
13 (3) The effluent will not be exposed on the ground surface or be discharged to
14 surface waters where it could come into contact with people, animals, or
15 vectors."

SIGNED _____
Amendment Sponsor

SIGNED _____
Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

ADOPTED _____ FAILED _____ TABLED _____



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